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RAILWAY BILL IN ASSEMBLY

That Body Sends Ad Va-
lorem Proposition to
the Proper Com-
mittee.

ACTION ON VETOES

Both Houses Have Two Opin-
ions from the Governor
To Decide Defi-
nitely Upon.

(Special to The Gazette.)
Madison, Wis., April 28.—The as-
sembly sent the bill taxing the rail-
roads on the ad valorem basis to
the committee on assessments and
collections of taxes for the considera-
tion of the senate's amendments to-
day, without any debate. There is
considerable question as to whether
the amendment excluding the bonds
will be agreed to.

Two Vetoes
Each house had two vetoes by the
governor to consider. The senate
postponed action on both, but the as-
sembly refused to pass its bill over
the veto, though an offer was made to
do so on the bill authorizing cities
of the third class to issue \$100,000
bonds for the erection of school
buildings, which was vetoed be-
cause it did not require the approval
of the bonds by a vote of the people.
The vote on passing the bill over the
veto was, ayes 38, nays 45.

Salary Question
The vote on the bill increasing the
attorney general's salary from three
to five thousand dollars, was recon-
sidered and the bill passed after an
amendment was added requiring the
attorney general and his assistant to
devote all their time to the duties of
office.

WILL HONOR THE FRENCH LEADER

Admiral Cotton To Sail for Marseilles
to Take Part in the Pro-
gram.

Paris, April 28.—Rear Admiral Charles C. Cotton, commander-in-
chief of the United States European
squadron, arrived Friday and visited
the embassy to learn the details of
the squadron's participation in the
reception of President Loubet at
Marseilles. Admiral Cotton left
Paris last night, for Ville Franche,
where he will assume command of
the squadron today, and the warships
will sail in the afternoon for Mar-
seilles.

ILLINOIS PYTHIANS IN SESSION

Past Chancellor's Rank Conferred on
Candidates at Bloomington.

Bloomington, Ill., April 28.—Grand
chancellors of the Knights of Pythias
from all sections of the state as-
sembled here to confer the past chan-
cellor's rank on a large number of
candidates, and also to conduct a
school of instruction in the secret
work.

Five hundred members of the order
were in attendance at the exemplification
of the degree. Grand Chancellor
J. H. Barkley of Springfield and
Harry P. Caldwell of Chicago, grand
keeper of records and seals, had
charge of the work.

HAS NEW TEMPER FOR RAZORS

Invention Makes Edges Immune From
Ordinary Damage.

Hamilton, O., April 28.—Joseph Pi-
per, a toolmaker, announces the per-
fection of a marvelous process for
tempering steel. He gave a public
demonstration, using a razor of his
manufacture to cut pieces from nails
and then shaving with the same blade.
The keen edge did not show any sign
of its rough usage. The material
used in the tempering is a secret
liquid.

DEDICATE A HAMMOND CHURCH

Five Thousand Lutherans Attend Im-
pressive Services Sunday.

Hammond, Ind., April 28.—Five thou-
sand persons attended the dedication
of the new St. Paul's Lutheran church.
Seven ministers officiated and a choir
of 200 voices sang. The church is one
of the handsomest in Indiana. The
architecture is Gothic and the inter-
ior decorations are elaborate, the
stories of the lives of the Savior, St.
Peter and St. Paul being told in
statuary and paintings.

Trolley Hits a Tree.

New York, April 28.—While running
at full speed a trolley car on the
New York & Queens County Electric
Railroad, filled with passengers, left
the rails at North Beach, L. I., and
dashed into a tree. Nine persons were
injured.

Bookkeeper Is Shot.
Boston, April 28.—Stillman Bishop,
a bookkeeper for the Edison Electric
Light company, was shot in the office
of the company by a stranger, who
entered the place, walked up to
Bishop's desk and began discharging
a revolver.

FIRES BURN FORESTS IN UPPER MICHIGAN

Only Hope for Relief Appears to Be
In Heavy Rain, as Everything
is Dry as Tinder.

Houghton, Mich., April 28.—Threat-
ening forest fires are reported to have
broken forth afresh in the lower end
of Houghton county, and places north
of Ontonagon and Mass City are be-
lieved to be in imminent danger.

Details are meager, but a telegram
received from McMillan & Brougues,
lumbermen in Ontonagon, says their
No. 2 camp is on fire and requests
the Grayling, which is being
fitted out and repaired here, to be sent
with all dispatch.

Dense smoke overhangs Hancock
and Houghton, and the county to the
south. Everything in the woods is as
dry as tinder, as there has been no
rain thus far this season, and if a
heavy rain does not fall soon the
fires may spread to an alarming ex-
tent.

STATE NOTES

The State Firemen's association
has decided to hold its yearly tourna-
ment in Fort Atkinson, Wis., June 7,
8, and 9.

Dan Head, one of the wealthy pio-
neers of Kenosha and Southport, cele-
brated his ninetieth anniversary of
his birth at his home in Kenosha.

The Rev. Guido Boccard, pastor of
the First Presbyterian church at La
Crosse, has accepted a call to one of
the large churches in Philadelphia.

Chief of Police Pfister and Harry

Bassinger of Racine have received

two bloodhounds from Tennessee and

they will be trained to run down crimi-

nals.

Ordinances were presented before
the Fond du Lac council Monday
providing for the issue of \$50,000
street bonds and \$10,000 library
bonds.

The Fond du Lac Water company
has offered to lease its plant to the
city for \$30,000 yearly for thirty years
when it is to become the property of
the city.

For breaking out of jail at Appleton
John White, an Oneida Indian, has
been sentenced to six months' im-
prisonment upon the expiration of a
sentence for assault and battery.

Alexander Griffith of Manitowoc,
who has been wanted for some time
on the charge of forgery, was arrested
Monday at Two Rivers. He will
be taken to Traverse City, Mich., for
trial.

Thomas Pearson has resigned the
superintendency of the new paper
mill of the Riverside Fiber and Paper
company, to take effect May 1,
and will be succeeded by Thomas E.
Foley of Petoskey, Mich.

The yearly declamatory contest of
the Montello, Westfield, and Plain-
field, Wis., high schools was won by
Miss Allie Sherman of Plainfield, who
will represent the league in the dis-
trict contest at Stevens Point.

The Fond du Lac council has ap-
pealed to the circuit court for a com-
mission to review the city's county
assessment, while the county board
recently nearly doubled, and the town
of Ashford has also applied for simi-
lar action.

POPE SEES YEARS OF ST. PETER

Leo XIII. Surpasses the Traditional
Pontificate of First Pope.

Rome, April 28.—The papal
visit passed the famous traditional
pontificate of St. Peter. Leo XIII. was
elected pope twenty-five years, two
months and seven days ago. He has
already received many congratulations
on the event. In eighteen and a half
centuries the only other pope who
reached this mark was Pope Leo's im-
mediate predecessor, Pius IX. It is
a part of the ceremony of the installa-
tion of a pope to say to him: "Thou
shalt not see the years of St. Peter,"
but the present pontiff has broken the
tradition.

COURT RELEASES A MILITIAMAN

National Guardsman, Who Shot
Miner Is Given His Liberty.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 28.—In the
Supreme court in an opinion by Justice
McHugh in the case of the com-
monwealth vs. Wadsworth, the national
guardsman who was arrested for
shooting and killing a miner while
on duty with his regiment during the
coal strike, Wadsworth is exonerated
and given his liberty. The matter
came up on a writ of habeas corpus.

Swain Is Killed.

Kokomo, Ind., April 28.—Francis
Sutton, 18 years old, was found dead
near the home of his sweetheart at
Hemlock with bullet hole in his
head. The shooting is a mystery. The
assassination theory is advanced.

Drowns While Playing.

Brooklyn, N. Y., April 28.—Endeavoring
to elude playmates who
were in pursuit of him in a game of
"Relieve-O," Gustave Kapeschake,
eleven years old, ran into the Go-
wanus canal and was drowned.

RESULTS OF BASEBALL GAMES

American League.

Detroit, 8; Chicago, 1.

Philadelphia, 6; New York, 0.

Washington, 6; Boston, 2.

National League.

Chicago, 13; Cincinnati, 5.

Pittsburgh, 4; Philadelphia, 1.

Brooklyn, 7; Philadelphia, 1.

New York, 10; Boston, 7.

American Association.

St. Paul, 10; Kansas City, 9.

Louisville, 10; Toledo, 5.

Indianapolis, 13; Columbus, 5.

Milwaukee, 13; Minneapolis, 2.

Klondike Output.

Dawson, April 28.—Sluicing out of
all the creeks in the Klondike has be-
gun. The estimated output for the
year is given at \$15,000,000, against
\$12,000,000 for last year.

The number of mad dogs in Fond
du Lac is rapidly increasing, and
hardly a day passes without a com-
plaint of a canine showing symptoms
of madness reaching the police station,
one rabid dog being shot by Chief of Police Nolan on Monday.

At a special school meeting at Fort
Atkinson \$12,000 was voted for a new
school building.

The trial of former Mayor Alonzo
A. Ames for bribery and extortion is
in progress in the district court at
Minneapolis, Minn.

GERMANY IS PLANNING NAVY

Has Recently Ordered Two
and a Half Million Dol-
lars' Worth of
Supplies.

RUSHING VESSELS

The Great Activity Means
Increased Naval Power
for the Empire Very
Soon.

(Special to Scripps-McMae.)
Berlin, April 28.—It was officially
announced today that the war depart-
ment had made a deal with the Krupp
gun people for two and one-half mil-
lion dollars worth of naval supplies
to be delivered at once.

Great Activity

It has also been noted that there
has been great activity in the naval
department as to the new ships pro-
posed and also in the repairs of the
ones now in commission which are
lightly damaged or out of date.

Increased Navy

This move is taken to be a step
towards increasing the efficiency of
the German navy and placing it at
the top of the fleets of the world. It is
following out Emperor William's ideas
as to a navy.

BADGER CREW IS HARD AT WORK

First and Second Varsity Boats Sent
Two-Mile Course Three
Times,

Madison, Wis., April 28.—The first
and second varsity crew were given a
hard workout yesterday afternoon.
Coach O'Dea used the steam coach-
ing launch for the first time and the
men rowed over the two mile course
three times. Dean, one of the two
of last year's freshmen to make the
training table, was changed to the
port side, rowing No. 4 in the second
boat. Mather and Moffatt alternated
at No. 5 in the varsity boat. With
this exception there was no change
in the lineup of the first boat. The
second crew rowed in the following
order. Peny, stroke; Schumacher, 7;
Bardelt, 6; Kunze, 5; Dean 4; Orbett
3; Hudson 2; Potter, bow. Morrison
coxswain.

The freshman candidates are still
having their tryout in the pair oars.

ROADS DENY DODGING TAXES

Presidents of Three Big Lines Re-
ply to Gov. La Follette's Charges.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 28.—Presi-
dents of three large railroads in Wis-
consin deny that their companies have
been defrauding the state in the pay-
ment of license fee taxes, as was
charged in the special message of the
governor to the legislature. Presi-
dent Whitecomb of the Wisconsin Central
was seen here and Presidents Earling
and Houghett of the Chicago, Milwaukee
and St. Paul and the Chi-
cago and Northwestern roads respec-
tively in Chicago. Each asserted that
the road's returns to the state had in-
cluded every dollar of gross earnings
and were exactly the same in amount
as the company's reports to the stock-
holders.

RACE WAR RAGES IN ILLINOIS

Lynching of Negro and Burning of
Camp Inspire Another Raid.

Thebes, Ill., April 28.—As one re-
sult of the lynching of a negro and
the pitched battle following it near
Santa Fe, white men of this place
raided a negro camp a mile north of
Thebes. The place was known as
Coles camp and several hundred ne-
groes who were constructing the St.
Louis Valley railroad lived there. All
were driven away by the raiders.

White Coles camp was being depopu-
lated the negroes who had been driven
from their camp near Santa Fe re-
turned and discovered their tents were
in ashes. Then they sought to enter
Santa Fe, but the white population
opened fire on them with rifles and
they disappeared.

GET-AWAY-DAY FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITOL TODAY

All Roads Lead to the Dedication
of the St. Louis Exposition on
Thursday.

(Special to Scripps-McMae.)

Washington, April 28.—It is a ver-
itable get-away-day here. Four spe-
cialists, one immediately following another
left for the St. Louis exposition dedica-
tion. On the first special the marine band and the Potomac
lodge of marines; next the correspondents with special of seven
policemen for newspaper men. Next the
diplomats, in charge of Cockrell, Adm. Dewey, General Young and
several members of the cabinet are
aboard. Herbert Von Sternberg and
Bowen were compelled to remain be-
hind on account of the Venezuelan negotia-
tions. Cassini was also com-
pelled to remain on account of the
Manchurian questions liable to arise.
The next train carries Cleveland and
his party. The government board
of exposition and many residents of
the city will leave later in the day
on another special.

IS KILLED WITH HIS HANDS TIED

Cowardly Murder Revealed in Empty
House in Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 28.—George
L. Mills, manager of the Syndicate
loan company, was murdered in an
empty house at 871 West Sixteenth
street. The body was found by per-
sons who were looking at the place
with a view of renting it. The body
was lying face downward on the floor.
The hands were tied behind the back
and the head crushed from behind.
All the valuables had been taken from
the clothing.

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RESULTS OF BASEBALL GAMES

American League.

MAYOR WILSON'S OPENING SPEECH

MADE AN ABLE INAUGURAL ADDRESS LAST EVENING.

GIVES POINTS OF INTEREST

Show What the City Needs in the Way of Modernizing Business Affairs.

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the City of Janesville: Gentlemen: desire to congratulate the citizens for the high character and standing of this council personally and collectively and to express a deep sense of gratitude for the distinguished honor conferred upon myself.

It is with becoming modesty that I attempt to occupy the position of chief executive officer already renowned for a long line of predecessors who have graced it during the half century of Janesville as a city.

General Remarks

In presuming to discuss the city affairs you will please notice that custom makes it necessary rather than any pleasure there is in doing so. At such a time it may be slightly comforting to know that there is not a perfect municipal government on earth, although that is the goal which all are seeking to attain and we as trustees for the people form no exception to the rule.

Bonded Debt

The bonded debt of the city amounts to \$123,000. Its floating debt on city notes amounts to \$3,200.

The condition of the several funds April 20, 1903 as furnished by the treasurer is as follows:

Balance

School Fund	\$8695 41
General	2283 65
Fire and Water Fund . . .	612 25
Public Library Building . .	1666 65
Library Fund	1347 99
Lighting Fund	7648 51
Bridge Fund	363 13
Memorial Day Fund . . .	75 00
First Ward Fund	207 34
Second Ward Fund	1 69
Third Ward Fund	14 71
Fourth Ward Fund	32 36
Fifth Ward Fund	705 22
Municipal Court	1148 60
Tax Cet. Redemption Fund . . .	316 18
Judgment Fund	110 32
Special Fund	1 36
North First Street	4 00
Court Street	246 20
South Jackson Street	1004 10
Milton Avenue	93 38
Marion Street	217 81
Linden Avenue	21 36

Financial Stability

The more important feature of city government concerns its financial stability, which may be easily disturbed by extravagance or recklessness of management. Even an official statement may be accurate and yet misleading. Thus, for instance, a certain specified fund may be technically solvent upon a given date, while at the same time, bills have been allowed to accumulate to such an extent for work or material already ordered that an incoming council might find the city actually in debt for running expenses, without money to meet the same several months in advance of any income. Such a condition is not encouraging for retrenchment or immediate reduction of taxes. But if this council shall lay the foundation good and strong for necessary expenditures only, it will have accomplished a much needed municipal reform.

Taxation

In the broader field of state politics we find governors and statesmen of fame widely at variance upon the question of taxation, which I suppose is no cause of the more limited sphere, to step carefully. But the correct basis of all just taxation remains the same everywhere and depends upon the equality of assessments. There is no task before the council more closely connected with the personal life of the people of Janesville than that choosing assessors.

Upon the wisdom and impartiality displayed in this department depends the possibility of improving the business methods so as to invite the confidence and respect of all good citizens, and the field of honest labor is not to be overlooked, but must be lawfully encouraged and the civic revolution through which the council came into existence, justified in practice as well as in name.

The Committee Chairman

Of the twelve standing committees among which the work of the council is divided, it is necessary that under the rule that one alderman should be named from each of the wards, but I desire to impress upon you the fact that there is no such thing as a committee for ornamental purposes; neither is it contemplated that any member thereof is to be a nonentity. And it is seemingly needless to add that neither in law, nor from lack of common courtesy, the chairman of any committee should consider himself the whole thing by doing public business, or make reports to this council without consulting his associates. It is the duty of each committee to know the details of every subject that may be referred for its consideration, and no person connected with the city government ought to be ashamed to familiarize himself with the charter and the ordinances.

No bill ought to be reported correct that has not been authorized by the council and each chairman ought to be vigilant in requiring reports or subordinates to be made in season. It is easier to comply with the law than it is to find excuses for its violation.

I recommend that the necessary books be purchased to carry into effect such improved methods of book-keeping in the clerks office as may be adopted and if necessary to employ a competent person to assist temporarily in starting the process.

Any attempt of this council to reduce public taxation without impairment of the service ought to be considered honorable and deserving of

encouragement. But it will be useless to do so unless such evils as unnecessary expenditure, waste of material and carelessness in purchasing the same can be eliminated from the general practice and every person connected with the city government made to understand that strict economy is to be the policy of the administration. To protect the treasury from unlawful bills may indeed be accomplished in part by the finance committee but after all this is not true that everything depends mainly upon the authorization given by the council?

More Missing Ordinances

I also recommend that the city ordinances be printed in pamphlet form at the earliest practicable date, as they have been omitted from the newly revised charter.

The Health Department

It speaks well for the Health Department that the city has so long escaped the ravages of epidemics due to inattention. At the same time, this department is not exempt from eternal vigilance the same as others, if its efficiency would be maintained.

Incidentally, however, I wish to denounce the policy of making a garbage dump for street purposes in connection with the Jackson street bridge. It is doubtless if any city has heaped up a more offensive pile of disease breeding offal than that which composes this pestiferous scandal upon modern civilization. Another garbage dump is necessary if this council is to respect the public health and good reputation of the city. It cannot be that in this particular we have struck a ratio in comparison with which the reputed filth of oriental civilizations would have the preference as speleae laden and refreshing.

The Public Schools

The public schools are presumed to be at their highest point of efficiency, although there is no statement of this fact in the official reports. The Board of Education now has at its disposal over \$50,000 per annum which is about \$20,000 in excess of the sum required ten years ago. As the council is called upon to make the chief annual grant for school expenses, which are charged up against the council as extravagant or otherwise when making the annual tax levy, the conclusion is inevitable, that if the council is expected to economize, the Board of Education ought to be willing to co-operate in this attempt so far as they can do so without impairment of the schools.

The Bridges

The bridges over Rock river are no particular credit to Janesville, but such as they are must be maintained in safe condition for travel. I recommend that the highway committee be instructed to make examination and if the conditions are favorable to make the initiatory steps toward constructing another bridge at some point between Court street and the south Franklin street bridge between the third and fourth wards.

Public Parks

The public parks are not appreciated as they should be and while they ought to be cared for and beautified so far as good taste shall seem practicable within the fund limit, it is obvious that after all the main thing is the comfort and freedom from annoyance in the summer season of the general public who may resort there for a breath of fresh air.

Police and Fire Commission

The police and fire departments with the exception of chief are composed of persons recommended by the police and fire commission, whose position is principally that of a civil service board. This is referred to in order that the public may understand where the original responsibility rests, although the council regulates the salaries of both departments.

There is likely to be an increase of funds demanded by the fire and water department on account of the increase of hydrants, and for other purposes. The fire chief also requests a heavier alarm bell for the engine house tower.

The Public Library

The public library board informs me that they are about to occupy the new building, and that for obvious reasons that suggests themselves to the business mind, an increase of appropriation will be imperative. The necessity of having sidewalks, curbing, etc., suitable for immediate use, around this new structure, is one of the first duties imposed upon this council. The Board has already placed \$12,000 insurance upon the building, and intend to carry about \$8,000 on the contents. It is for the council to determine who shall look after this insurance in the future.

Sewerage

The matter of sewerage is in the hands of the Board of Public Works represented at present by the City Engineer, whose plans will be duly submitted to the council at the proper time. My only recommendation is that you will not authorize any more permanent street improvements without sewerage, thereby avoiding the folly of making two jobs out of one.

I presume it will be the policy of this council to make a start upon some comprehensive plan of sewage.

Street Lighting

The city has the prospect of better street lighting in the near future. Complaints have apparently been well founded, in the past at least in certain parts of the city, but the service is being constantly improved and will no doubt become satisfactory.

The Street Commissioner

Probably no department of the city is subject to more criticism than that of street commissioner. We read in the council proceedings that several cross walks were ordered built under the direction of the alderman of the ward. I submit that this is a loose method of authorization and one that would not be tolerated in any private business concern.

The material to be used should first be supplied by the council and a specific plan or description of the proposed work should be stated, that the council may approve the same intelligently in advance of the work instead of being forced to accept it and pay the bills afterwards. Justice requires

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NEW COUNCIL'S INITIAL MEET

GO TO WORK LIKE VETERAN ALDERMEN.

MUCH WORK ACCOMPLISHED

There is No Contest or Any Show of Disagreement Among Members—Several Appointments.

In spite of the unfamiliarity of half of the members of the present council with the routine of the aldermanic proceedings, the business of the first session of the common council was transacted with dispatch. One or two points of order were brought up by the incoming gentlemen, but in general their actions indicated careful study of the city charter and rules governing the council. The finance committee appeared, however, to balk at the lightning methods of approving bills which they were called upon to employ.

Bouquets of carnations, roses, and ferns adorned the desks of each of the newly elected aldermen and of the mayor. Alderman Connell of the Second ward was doubly remembered, and was given an additional bunch of beauties, bearing the inscription "From his admirers."

Curiosity to see how the "Citizens" members of the council would deport themselves, and interest in the award of the elective plums attracted a large number of spectators to the council chambers.

All Aldermen Present

Mayor Wilson wielded the gavel over the meeting which was attended by the full number of aldermen, the city clerk and attorney, both being in their places. Immediately succeeding roll call the mayor read his inaugural address, the text of which will be found elsewhere in these columns. The address was listened to with the closest attention, and elicited favorable discussion after the meeting had adjourned.

Standing committees of the council for the coming year were then named. The list as presented by Mayor Wilson follows:

Finance—Matheson, Sale, Schmidley.

Lighting—Judd, Sale, Connell, Murray, Hemming.

License—Murray, Connell, Judd.

Judiciary—Sale, Matheson, and Schwartz.

Sewerage—Mills, Judd, Sale, Murray, Schwartz.

Parks—Matheson, Sale, Mills, Schmidley, Hemming.

Fire and Water—Schwartz, Lowell, Judd, Mills, Murray.

School—Connell, Matheson, Lowell, Schmidley, Schwartz, Mills, Matheson, Murray.

Printing—Hemming, Connell, Murray.

Police—Schmidley, Lowell, Connell, Public buildings—Lowell, Judd, Mills, Schwartz, Schmidley.

Judd Made President

As president of the council to act in his absence in the stead of the mayor, Alderman Judd received a majority vote. Ald. Judd nominated Judge Sale, who suggested that that honor should be conferred upon one of the hold-over members of the council and named Ald. Mills. On the sixth ballot Ald. Judd received the elective vote, as follows:

Ballots	1	2	3	4	5	6
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sale	5	5	4	5	4	3
Mills	3	0	1	1	1	1
Lowell	1	1	0	1	0	0
Judd	1	3	4	4	5	6
Matheson	0	1	0	0	0	0

The regular meeting night was fixed, on motion of Ald. Matheson, for alternate Mondays, the regular meeting occurring May 11.

As the rules of the council, those in force under the old council were adopted on motion of Ald. Hemming.

The budget of bills was reported by Clerk Badger, referred to the finance committee, and later reported favorably and approved with the exception of one bill of Thomas Tomlin for \$1.50, which should have been paid from the Second ward fund which is now destitute of money.

Municipal League Fund

City Treasurer rather agitated the council to inform him to which fund the \$900.73 which he had received from F. C. Grant, secretary of the Municipal league, should be applied. The finance committee asked for further time in which to consider the matter.

Permission was granted the Congregational church society to construct a sewer from the church parsonage on South Jackson street to Dodge street, the work to be done under the supervision of the street commissioner.

No action was taken at the meeting on the request of the school board that a successor be elected to fill the place of Commissioner-at-large S. C. Burnham, who resigned to qualify as clerk of the school board. Ald. Connell of the committee or schools requested that more time be given to consider the matter.

No commendation was made by the finance committee in regard to the telegram from A. E. Wadham, president of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association of Milwaukee, asking that a committee be appointed to act with their committee at Madison on Wednesday to advocate the passage of a bill to validate past bond sales.

A Point of Lawful

The city attorney was asked by the finance committee to prepare a written opinion on the legality of allowing hills paid when the proper fund was without resources.

The monthly pay roll of the city officials and police and fire department was approved and ordered paid.

In behalf of the sewerage committee Ald. Mills notified the council that the report of the city engineer on a sewerage system would be presented at the next meeting, and that he was only waiting to confer with the sewerage committee on one or two points.

J. H. Watson was then elected street commissioner. The first vote

gave T. McKewan, 4; George Palmer, 2; J. H. Watson, 1; George Hanthorn, 1; J. O'Donnell, 1; A. Rice, 1. The second ballot gave T. McKewan, 3; and J. H. Watson, 7.

In connection with the election of a city engineer Ald. Connell wished to know if it would be possible to do away with the custom of electing a city engineer by the year, and hire him when needed. On being informed that it would be necessary to repeal an ordinance to do so, Ald. Sale moved that the election of a city engineer be deferred to the next meeting of the council and the motion was carried.

Edden Health Officer

Dr. R. W. Edden, who has served one term, received the vote of the council as health officer, but not until the fifth ballot. The result follows:

1	2	3	4	5
R. W. Edden	5	4	5	5
S. B. Buckmaster	1	3	3	3
W. E. Merritt	2	0	0	0
J. B. Whiting	2	3	2	1

The name of S. B. Buckmaster was presented by Ald. Math

..NEWS FROM NEAR-BY TOWNS..

MILTON

Milton, April 28.—The following is the schedule of the Milton college base ball club:

April 29—University of Wisconsin at Madison; May 5, Beloit Academy at Beloit; May 12, Whitewater Normals at Whitewater; May 20, N. W. University at Milton; May 28, Marquette College at Milton; June 3, N. W. University at Watertown; June 9, Whitewater Normals at Milton; June 17, Open date at Milton.

The High school has purchased a Story & Clark upright piano of E. L. Bliss. The school will be in debt considerably on this instrument and town citizens should not fail to patronize the entertainments given to pay for the same, liberally.

The remains of Martha Allen, mother of mesdames B. F. Ballard and S. B. Davy, who died at the home of her son in Beloit, were brought here for burial Friday. Deceased was a resident here for many years, prior to the death of her husband.

Babcock & Crownell received a car-load of buggies and carriages Friday.

The Elkhorn-Milton game will be called at 2 o'clock. Tickets ten cents, and every man woman and child is expected to buy one. The price is within the reach of all.

C. B. Godfrey got down to the post office Thursday for the first time since his injury.

Thos. Rogers and wife, of Elkhorn, were in town on their automobile Thursday.

H. B. Saunders is in town. He expects to go to Farina, Ill., for the summer, next week.

Next Tuesday evening Prof. E. H. Lewis, of Chicago, will deliver at College Chapel his lecture entitled "Shakespeare's Sense of Life's Reality." If you don't hear it, you will miss a literary treat.

Russ Davidson of Beloit spent Sunday at home.

L. M. Babcock and wife came up from Chicago Friday and will spend their vacation here.

Miss Susie McBride commenced teaching at Leyden Monday.

Agent Tompkins has received an advance of wages of \$5 per month, Operator Davy the same and the night operator \$7.50.

John McBride of Milwaukee is visiting his brother W. P. McBride.

The King's Daughters are preparing for their annual benefit, which will be held Tuesday, May 19.

Miss Kathryn Bliss is the recipient of two handsome volumes of musical works from the chorus class as a token for her labors in their behalf as an accompanist.

EDGERTON

Edgerton, April 28.—Miss Lee Clark is the guest of friends at Portage.

Miss Maud Clifton visited her mother in Stoughton the latter part of the week.

F. E. Brittingham of Madison called on friends here Thursday.

Thomas Atwood has purchased two lots in the McIntosh addition and expects to build a home.

Mrs. Williams and Besse have returned from California and intend to have a home built as soon as they can.

Mrs. H. H. Dickinson is in Stoughton caring for her sister Mrs. Lusk. Thos. Whittet spent Sunday in Portage.

Mrs. Victoria Potter is up from Janesville having her mother's house put in order before she brings her home.

The ladies of the St. Joseph church will give an entertainment Wednesday consisting of music and readings.

The "Lyman Twins" will present "A Merry Chase" at Royal hall Thursday evening.

Miss Lucy Pringle and Isaac M. Dickinson were in Stoughton Friday.

Miss Cora Thompson of Kilbourn has a position at the Eagle office.

Miss Lizzie Stark and Anglo Coles of Marshfield were married at the German church Wednesday morning. Nearly two hundred guests enjoyed the wedding feast later at the home of the bride's father near Albion.

A number from here attended the contest at Whitewater Friday evening. Edgerton was represented by Miss Louise Pomeroy and secured fourth place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Aas, Malbrett were surprised Monday evening by the members of the Monday club and their husbands. Arriving with good things to eat and spending a few jolly hours with them.

An anti-cigarette league has been organized among the school boys. Officers have been elected and Prof. Clark chosen superintendent.

Mrs. Warner of Burlington is here to spend a few weeks with her son Arthur.

W. H. Taylor has started out with a new meat wagon for Peters & Son.

Frank Ash will move his stock to the hall building, recently vacated by Perlick Bros. He has been at the old stand for eleven years, but lack of room makes a change necessary.

H. L. Liedtke will probably occupy the store vacated by Mr. Ash.

Whittet Bros. have started their brick yard for this season's manufacture. Modern machinery has been added, increasing the daily capacity from 15,000 to 40,000. From 25 to 35 men will be given employment.

The only son of Herman Ehlenfeld died very suddenly Friday morning. He had been ill with whooping cough and croup but was thought to be much better. His mother left him a short time Friday morning, and when she came back into the room found him dying. He was nearly two years old.

One of Wilemen's livery teams became frightened Wednesday and ran up front street. They were attached to a wagon loaded with coal which struck a telephone pole near the Phoenix block with such force that the pole was broken off about twenty feet from the top. The team was not injured to speak of, but the

wagon was badly damaged, a new pole has just been put in place.

NORTH JOHNSTOWN

North Johnstown, April 28.—Miss Florence Cary of Whitewater is spending several days with relatives here. Edward Hobbs attended the funeral of his sister at Koshkonong Sunday afternoon.

Miss Daisy Hackett has gone to care for her aunt, who was badly injured in a runaway accident in Whitewater.

Mrs. Warner Nichols who has been caring for her daughter Mrs. Florence Hobbs returned home to Koshkonong Monday. Mrs. Hobbs is able to be seen again.

C. B. Palmers family spent Sunday with relatives in Milton Junction.

Rev. A. Longfield had the misfortune of having his great toe of his right foot severely injured by having a can full of milk, which he was lifting from a wagon, fall upon it.

With good weather several of the farmers will finish their seedling this week.

Will Cock was unable to work Friday on account of being afflicted with toothache.

Mr. P. Marquart of Milton Junction and his granddaughter Grace Killam visited C. R. Newton's Thursday.

Miss Emma Anderson of Milton and Miss Della Janes of Lima were on our streets Monday.

MAGNOLIA

Magnolia, April 28.—Mr. and Mrs. John Setzer and daughters Iva and Hazel of Orfordville spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Minnie Edward began teaching in the South school Monday.

Mr. Floyd Hopkins of Milwaukee is the guest of his uncle Mr. Warren Andrews.

Mr. Oscar Townsend entertained a number of his friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Townsend, Friday evening. Mr. Townsend left for Chicago Sunday where he is working.

Mrs. Barney Garry who has been very ill is on the gain. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Daly are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy.

Mr. Roy Townsend is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Cain of Syene are the guests of Mrs. Lucinda Brown.

Mr. Miles Clark is riding around in a new buggy.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Wallace Andrews on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson of Oregon spent Sunday at Mr. Wallace Andrews.

Mr. William Acheson of Footville has been spending the week at his brothers' Mr. David Acheson.

SHOPRIER

Shopiere, April 28.—The past week has been a cold one for this time of the year. Freezing nights, and a cold east wind. Should think it would be hard on fruit trees that already are blossoming.

B. H. Sweet is home this week, also Miss Ida Sweet came home from Janesville for Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steadwell for merly of this place, but now living in New York state are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl.

A good many fishing here Sunday but not many fish caught.

H. S. Bixby and wife spent Saturday in Chicago.

Harry Truesdell and wife are going to live at this place again from Rockford.

Ed Branhard and wife returned from their visit in Ohio last week.

Mrs. William Truesdell is getting better and is now able to be around the house.

Dr. Edwards and wife spent Sunday at Shopiere.

There are a number of cases of measles in town.

Mrs. Crotzenburg went to Racine for her health on Saturday. She has been sick for a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Munt are rejoicing over the safe arrival of a daughter, mother and child are doing well.

There are a good many acres of grain to sow yet.

LA PRAIRIE

Prairie, April 28.—It is feared that the recent frosts will damage the budded fruit.

Simon Popel is building a fence on the Scott farm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Florin spent Sunday with Brodhead friends.

An intersecting grange meeting was held at the hall last Sunday.

Many farmers have finished sowing small grains while others have corn in the field.

F. W. Weaver, a prominent grocery dealer of Fredonia, N. Y., has been spending a few days with J. E. Gleason and family.

Geo. Reed spent Sunday in Findleton.

Mrs. Sophia Brown is gaining slowly from a severe attack of rheumatism.

A company of thirteen persons arrived at the home of Herman Byers a few days ago. Since their arrival diphtheria has attacked some of the members of the family.

Mrs. Amanda Sherman is attending friends from a distance.

ROCK RIVER

Little Nelle Green has been under the care of Dr. McManus, the past week, but is now better.

Grace Pierce is improving very slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Balsh were visitors at Frank Miles home at Milton one day last week.

There will be a base ball social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alverson Wednesday night. You are cordially invited to come.

Cow and Schmidt are having new porches built and otherwise improving the house on their new farm recently purchased of Mr. Cunningham.

Next Sabbath will be election of officers in the Sabbath school here.

Some from this place attended the contest at Whitewater last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rogers of Whitewater were callers in this vicinity last Thursday. They came overland in an automobile returning the same day.

Mrs. Sarah and daughter Lillian, were visitors at Joseph Vincents on Saturday and Sunday.

EMERALD GROVE

Emerald Grove, April 28.—The annual meeting of the Emerald Grove Cemetery association will be held on Monday evening May 4th, instead of 24th, as was stated in last week's Gazette. Let everyone in the community attend.

Mrs. Frank Arnold is staying with her mother who is very ill.

Cella Chambers and Earl Nitans spent Sunday with friends in Delavan.

The L. A. Meeting at Mrs. A. D. Barliss' last Tuesday was well attended. The interest in the society is steadily increasing.

Jake Larson had the misfortune of receiving a bruise on his hand which will prevent him from work for a few days.

Mr. D. E. Jones and Mr. J. Little are improving their houses by giving them a coat of paint.

Several from this vicinity enjoyed the services at Avalon last Sunday.

A new bridge is being erected on the cemetery. Let the good work continue.

Mr. E. Holt of California and Miss E. Wilburn of Harmony were pleasant callers here Friday.

Mr. C. T. Barliss has a fine new carriage.

JOHNSTOWN

Johnstown, April 28.—Mrs. E. A. Carter spent a part of last week with relatives in Whitewater.

Mrs. Allie Cogswell and daughter returned Sunday from a week's visit with friends in this city.

J. T. Ward went to the hospital in Janesville Monday to have an operation performed on his eyes.

Mr. W. Menzle received word Friday of the serious illness of his sister Mrs. Wm. Anderson of Scotland, she left here about seven months ago to visit their old home.

Mrs. Lolo Cummings and family were Sunday guests of Emerald Grove friends.

Invitations have been received to attend the wedding of Mr. Robt. Wilson and Miss Ada Fellows, April 30, at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fellows of Janesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gleiter attended church at North Johnstown, Sunday.

Mrs. T. Caveney of Richmond called on a relative here Sunday afternoon.

RICHMOND

Richmond, April 28.—A few of the farmers have completed their sowing of small grains and are now preparing their corn ground.

Robert King of Jackson, Mich., has been visiting his daughter Mrs. R. J. Harris.

M. T. Celby, of Oregon, Wis., was in this vicinity last week selling groceries for Meldrom & Co., of Chicago.

Mrs. J. E. Nott has recovered from the grippe, and Miss Laura from the menses.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cummings of Delavan, Mrs. Ward and J. T. Ward, of Johnstown, and Mrs. Sam Green and sister of Milton were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cavaney's Sunday.

R. W. Taylor and wife Sunday in Milton.

CENTER

Center, April 28.—J. W. Quimby is visiting friends in the New England states.

John Davis has a new windmill.

Miss Ella Schrader is visiting friends in Beloit.

Normie Harding of Chicago is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

The Misses Crall Sunday at Chas Crall's.

Center Grange held the first regular monthly meeting on Saturday. During the meeting five new members were initiated into the mysteries of the order.

BARKERS' CORNERS

Barkers' Corners, April 28.—The Ladies Aid Society will meet this week on Thursday April 30, with Mrs. E. L. Warren. Everybody come and enjoy a good time.

George Simons and Inez Rice are on the sick list with the delightful measles.

Mrs. Eliza Hodge from Janesville spent Sunday at Wm. Hodges.

Mrs. L. E. Warren and children attended church at Lima and Newville Sunday.

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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST



Cloudy tonight and colder.

THE MAYORS MESSAGE

Mayor Wilson's message, published in another column, will be read with interest by the tax payers as well as by all others interested in good government.

It is the first time in the history of the city when a non-partisan mayor, free from political bias and party obligation, has ever occupied the chair of the chief executive.

The citizens and not the party are in control, and this means vastly more than appears on the surface. That Mayor Wilson appreciates the situation is fully confirmed by his message, which contains both information and many practical recommendations.

It will be news to many people to know that the city has a bonded debt of \$123,000, and may well be surprised to learn that the floating debt which means borrowed money, amounts to \$3,200 more. The ward funds are bankrupt, because incomes have been anticipated, and the new council is confronted with the empty treasury.

Time will be required to remedy these conditions and place the treasury on a sound financial basis.

What the Mayor has to say about equitable taxation will be endorsed by all fairminded people, and the importance of having good assessors will be appreciated.

It has long been apparent that the system of city accounting was faulty in the extreme, and the message suggests that a new system of book-keeping be established. This will be done along the lines indicated by the committee in a late report.

Remarks concerning the health department, and the river for dumping ground, are very pertinent suggestions offered and should be adopted. The Mayor is familiar with the school question and appreciates the importance of the department. He also realizes the importance of economy and wise administration.

The question of a new bridge between Court street and Spring Brook will doubtless cause some discussion. That it will be convenient no one will question.

The Carnegie library, like the new house, will of course demand more liberal appropriations. The people will not object to supporting the library. The walk suggested in front of the property should have been provided by the old council, some time ago.

There is only one opinion, concerning the macadamizing of streets and the relation to this work to sewage, and that is that the work should be deferred until the sewage is put in.

The city has already adopted a system which embraces 17 districts. The work can be commenced at any time, in districts that are suffering most, and a term of years may be necessary for completion. This will not be burdensome to taxpayers.

The importance of the office of Street Commissioner is fully appreciated, and the Mayor's recommendations along this line are practical.

The message throughout is a strong paper and will satisfy the constituency back of the Mayor and the new council. Every last alderman, whether a member of the league or not should get in line for work. There is only one side to the question, and that is the right side. The year promises to produce good results.

ON ITS MERITS

In reconsidering the vote by which the Superior grain inspection bill was indefinitely postponed and in placing that bill upon the calendar for next Wednesday, the state senate acted wisely. Although the bill had been pending for many weeks in the senate committee, and although the friends of the measure were given a fair and full hearing on the floor when it came up for passage there was more or less temper displayed

upon both sides of the question during the week, which Sunday recess may cool. When the bill comes up next week it is hoped the only considerations that will be permitted to influence votes will be the merits of the bill and the cause it represents.

The Sentinel believes it has thoroughly and intelligently canvassed the facts relating to this particular movement and that it has discovered and explained a situation that amply justifies the passage of the grain inspection bill. A staff correspondent was sent to Minnesota, North Dakota and Superior, who made an examination of the field in detail and who reported the situation just as he found it. He discovered that the inspection of northwestern grain is now and for years has been in the hands of a political board appointed by the Minnesota executive; that officers holding commissions under the Minnesota governor perform their official functions in Wisconsin; that the North Dakota grain producers complain that they are unfairly treated in the Minnesota market, which now includes Superior, and they ask that a competing market be established to which they can ship their grain; that eastern grain buyers, particularly the New York state millers, are also asking for the establishment of a Wisconsin market with a Wisconsin inspection; that the business men, capitalists and grain dealers at Superior assert that they are prepared to organize their chamber of commerce, with sufficient capital at their backs to handle all the business that may come to them if they are given the necessary legal machinery by which the inspection of grain may be enforced under Wisconsin laws.

The only opposition to the measure The Sentinel has been able to find is the railroad and elevator interests now in control of the Minnesota grain market. Naturally, there are few Wisconsin citizens outside of Superior, who are not directly interested in the grain business, as merchants-millers who have given the subject much thought; but let the people of Wisconsin be told that the J. J. Hill syndicate of railroad and elevator interests had power enough to come into Wisconsin and defeat reasonable legislation asked for by a Wisconsin city, and the apparent apathy would disappear. Let the charge go further and state that the interests mentioned now enjoy a practical monopoly of the grain business by virtue of their control of elevators and grain carrying roads and terminals, and the apathy will, as it should, give place to a lively interest.

That is the situation, and it is one that cannot be ignored with impunity. It is unnecessary for the Sentinel to explain that it is not prejudiced against James J. Hill, or his railroads nor is it disposed to deny to any grain dealer in Duluth or Minneapolis, any legitimate advantage or business opportunity. But the grain producers of the northwest feed the nation, and they are entitled to an open market when they ask for one. The people who eat bread made from northwestern grain are also entitled to protection from combination of grain carrying roads and elevator interests which may affect either the price of the staple or its quality.

All that Superior citizens ask is that they be given an opportunity to establish a grain market and transact whatever business may come to them. If they can not raise the capital to handle the business or if the producers and consumers of grain do not take advantage of the opening to meet and do their business at Superior, the pending bill will accomplish nothing even if it should pass. On the other hand, if the producers and consumers take advantage of the law to transact their business through the Superior chamber of commerce no other justification of the action of the legislature in passing the measure will be required. To defeat this bill would be equivalent to saying to the grain shippers of the great northwest and the millers of the country that the Wisconsin legislature will not give them an opportunity to meet on Wisconsin soil and do business under Wisconsin laws in a city that has one of the best harbors on the chain of lakes, and that this opportunity is denied them because the men who have so long controlled the grain trade of the northwest have entered an objection.

Does the Wisconsin legislature feel that it can make this announcement to public?—Milwaukee Sentinel.

So much ignorance prevails concerning the "grain bill," and the Sentinel covers the ground so thoroughly, that the Gazette is pleased to reprint the above editorial. The arguments advanced are convincing, and Wisconsin can hardly afford to be controlled by outside influences. The interests of the state will be conserves by the passage of the measure.

Mr. Carnegie's latest gift of \$600,000 to Tuskegee, is recognized as one of the most helpful on the entire list. Mr. Carnegie has given away over \$100,000,000, since 1895. Much of his great wealth has gone to public libraries, and many cities have erected monuments that will long perpetuate his memory. His gift to the Tuskegee school places the endowment of that institution at \$1,000,000. Mr. Washington will attempt to double this amount and says that when this is done the school will be on a self-supporting basis.

King Edward is not to be beat by his American cousin when it comes to taking long trips. If Roosevelt can stand them why not he. But Eddie just stop and think that Roosevelt has

been a good upright man and has eschewed the bad side of life and you have not.

It is amusing to see the attitude of some of the hold-over aldermen take as regards the proposed change in the city government. One in particular is sprucing up and talking reform with loud tones.

Poker used to be called "bluff" and the Anglo-Saxon race were always the leader in this sport but Russia seems to have taken a step in learning the game of late.

St. Louis Exposition is to have a great time the thirtieth of this month. With both Roosevelt and Cleveland there all sides will have a chance to talk.

Governor LaFollette is having troubles of his own these days with all the bad senators trying to make good laws that he does not want.

With two companies seeking a franchise Janesville ought to have at least one road between here and Madison.

Evidently Japan is going to take a hand in that great game of bluff that Russia is putting up.

President Roosevelt spends his Sundays quietly and goes to church no matter where he is.

Senator Huennell seems to be doomed to disappointment with his little grain bill.

The new council met last night and now we shall see what we shall see.

Mayor Wilson gave the alderman a good sound talk.

PRESS COMMENT

Hotel Reporter: The banquet served at the Plankinton house, Milwaukee, Wis., last week in honor of President Roosevelt, was the largest ever provided at a Wisconsin hotel, and one of the finest as well. Covers were laid for 500 persons, and the dinner was quickly and admirably served. Manager Safford of the Plankinton was warmly commended by the banquet committee.

Milwaukee Journal: Grover Cleveland is to appear on the platform with Booker T. Washington in New York and some are making remarks about it. The governor of Alabama and the mayor of Atlanta have spoken from the same platform with Mr. Washington and a Texas audience lately listened to the great colored teacher. We reckon that Grover can stand the color if the white audiences of the south can listen to the Tuskegee man.

Waushara Argus: Ellis B. Usher, The Milwaukee Journal Madison correspondent, has a faculty of making predictions that very often come true. His success does not lie in any occult power which enables him to see into future but in his ingenuity. One day he predicts a certain thing will happen. The next day he says it will not happen, and so what ever happens he can cite his prediction and say "I told you so." Smart fellow, that Usher.

Madison Journal: Judge Grosscup of the United States circuit court, recently delivered an address at the university of Michigan in which he argued that industrial consolidation was making the mass of the people mere lookers on and not participants. Yet, as he showed, the wealth of the people has rapidly increased. From 1890 to 1900 the increase of population was about 20 per cent; of "general wealth" about 23 per cent, and nothing even if it should pass.

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La Crosse Republican and Leader: What is termed "society" appears just now to be in a terrible turmoil, for there seems to be sweeping over the country a wave of wickedness that is most deplorable, most disheartening. It is affecting all classes. Is it that conditions are growing worse as the world grows older or is it because wrongdoing is more easily unmasked and exposed to public gaze? Through polite society there is running a streak of immorality, of dual lives superinduced by high living. Homes are wrecked with impunity and a divorced woman is in the nature of heroine.

Minneapolis Tribune: About the only thing that is necessary to say concerning the election of Carter Harrison as mayor of Chicago is that he seems to be the kind of mayor Chicago wants. Conditions in big American cities are fundamentally alike. There is no Tammany in Chicago, but the Tammany spirit has kept these Carter Harrisons in office. It is allied not a little by public distrust of the republican organization, somewhat like that felt towards Mr. Platt's machine in New York. Probably the men who want good government are in the majority in Chicago, as they are in New York; but they are ingeniously distributed between the two party machines and prevented from putting their votes together. The republican organization probably finds the same compensation in defeat that Tammany provides for the Platt organization in New York. There is very little politics in municipal government, even among the politicians.

JOST—On S. Main street, Thursday, a lemon and white fox terrier pup. Answers to name Mike. Reward for return to Colvin Baking Co.

WANTED—A second hand boy's bicycle. Inquire at No. 10 Milton avenue.

WANTED—Man to work by the month, on farm near town. Address 210 S. Main St.

WANTED TO RENT—Two furnished rooms, for gentleman and wife, with privileges of light telephone. Address 7 Home Park Ave.

WANTED—Position by young man, 18 years of age. Address P. Gazzette.

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LADIES—Make soft pillows at home; entirely new idea; \$8 to \$12 weekly; materials furnished. No canvassing; steady work. Send money and envelope. New Textile Mfg. Co., Erie St., Chicago.

WANTED—Girl at Franklin Hotel.

WANTED—Person to call on retail trade and agents for manufacturing houses; local territory; salary \$100 per week and expense money advanced. Previous experience unnecessary. Business successful. Address Miss Madeline, Standard House, Chicago.

LAW DECISIONS FOR LAYMEN

Recent Court Rulings Will Interest The Busy Reader Very Much.

Constitutional Law—Municipal Fuel Plants

An application was recently made to the justices of the supreme court of Massachusetts for an opinion on the constitutionality of a house bill designed to authorize the municipal corporation of the state to establish and maintain wood and coal yards at which the people could be supplied with fuel. In the main, the answers were adverse to the validity of the measures proposed. See 56 Northwestern Rep., 26. In view of the recent establishment of municipal fuel yards by many of our cities, the opinion of the Massachusetts court is interesting. In one part of the opinion the court says: "If men of property, owning coal and wood yards, should be compelled to pay taxes on the establishment of a rival coal yard by a city or town to furnish coal at cost, they would be thus forced to make contributions of money for their own impoverishment."

Interstate Commerce—Tax on Delivering Agent.

A municipality enacted that every person engaged in selling or delivering picture frames within the city should pay a certain license tax, and, on default, a penalty for violation. A foreign corporation shipped frames and pictures separately packed, to the defendant, its agent, who was sent to make delivery on sales previously made. Defendant unpacked the goods, placed the furniture the pictures in the proper frames, and delivered them without taking out the required license. The United States Supreme court, on review of a judgment for violation, held that the ordinance was unconstitutional, and invalid as a regulation of interstate commerce. 23 Supreme court Rep., (North Carolina case) 229.

Labor Unions—Inducing Employees Discharge

An apprentice stone mason was discharged by his employer through the interference of a labor union, which threatened to withdraw other laborers in his employ if he retained a non-union employee. In an action for damages against the labor union it is held by an English court, that the person discharged may recover for the interference with his contract for 2 King's Bench Rep., 732.

This decision is based upon and firmly sustained by the line of English authorities. A division in the American cases has arisen upon the question of whether the interference was malicious or not.

Writing Book on Tuberculosis.

Alfred Hillier, a well-known authority on consumption, is writing a book on the prevention of tuberculosis, which will be revised by Prof. Koch.

TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKET

From the Hadden, Rodeo Co., 204 Jackson Block, Janesville.

C. L. Cutler Resident Manager, Open, High, Low, Close

WHEAT—

May..... 72½ 72½ 56 57

June..... 72½ 72½ 56 57

July..... 45 45 44 44½

OATS—

May..... 33½ 33½ 31 33½

June..... 31½ 31½ 31½ 31½

PORK—

May..... 18 15 15 17 15

July..... 17 20 17 20 16 18

LARD—

May..... 9 10 9 10 9 10

July..... 9 15 9 15 9 15

RICE—

May..... 9 65 9 65 9 65

July..... 9 45 9 45 9 37

CHICAGO CAR LOT RECEIPTS.

To-day, Contract, Est. Tomorrow

Wheat..... 1 1 1 45

Corn..... 35 35 35 35

Oats..... 55 55 55 110

NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat).

Todat Last Week Year Ago

Minneapolis..... 65 51 87

Duluth..... 29 17 48

Chicago..... 58 53 73

LIVE STOCK MARKET

RECEIPTS TODAY.

ASSESSORS AT COURT HOUSE

A MEETING OF THE NEW BODY HELD TODAY.

THIRTY WERE IN ATTENDANCE

Superintendent McIntyre Gave Them Advice as to How to Go About Their Work.

A word of advice was given to his assessors by Superintendent of Assessors McIntyre, preparatory to the active work of the thirty-one men who appraise the personal and real property of Rock county. The address was delivered in the circuit court room of the courthouse this morning, and in strongly emphasized words advised the men to be just and careful in their assessment. Following the word of instructions general discussion covered doubtful points regarding the assessment of certain classes of property.

Thirty Assessors Present

Of the thirty-one assessors in the county, only one was absent this afternoon. He was L. H. Brink of the town of Union, who is confined to his home by serious illness. All of the others had arrived in time for the afternoon session, which was given up entirely to discussion. No secretary took the minutes of the morning meeting, but when the assessors reconvened at 1:30, O. H. Floria of Clinton was chosen secretary.

To Equalize Taxes
It was especially urged upon the men that they be equitable and impartial in making their assessments, and the remarks were made largely with a view to equalizing the methods used by the assessors in all parts of the county. The meeting had been originally called for Monday, but was postponed until today in order to await the selections of the common council of the city of Janesville last evening.

POOR HOUSE FOR JANICE MEREDITH

Audience Was Small, and Gave the Actors No Encouragement to Do Their Best.

Sadly out of proportion with the merit of the production was the scanty house which greeted Rose Stahl and William Bonell at the Myers Grand last evening. So far as staging was concerned the presentation of "Janice Mededith" was not at all pretentious, and the dramatization of the over-praised novel of that name gave meager excuse for being, save as it afforded Miss Stahl opportunity to portray a very charming fair rebel but notwithstanding the inherent imperfections of the vehicle, the play was delightful in the hands of the capable company which gave it.

Aside from the parts of Tabitha Drinker, taken by Miss Plummer and of Janee, portrayed by Miss Stahl, both of which were capably played, the various characters in the cast have but little that is distinctive to mark one from another. It is safe to say that almost any two of the men might have shifted parts and the audience remained in serene ignorance of the transposition. The marked exceptions were the comedy parts which were carried almost to the extent of burlesque.

For the first time in the history of the opera house orchestra, one of the members is capable of solo playing. Mr. Cronniller, the clarinetist, last evening played a difficult solo in a manner which elicited loud and continued applause.

PLEASANT PARTY THIS AFTERNOON

Mrs. Bliss and Mrs. Wilcox Entertain Other Society Items About Different People.

Mrs. John Wilcox and Mrs. Harry H. Bliss were the hostesses at an afternoon whist party this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wilcox. Seventy-five ladies were the invited guests and from half past two until tea was served at six, cards filled in the afternoon's pleasure. At six a delightful tea was served. The pretty decorations, the handsome gowns of the ladies made an attractive picture and a most enjoyable time was experienced by all present.

Mrs. Platt Baker of the Kenilworth flats, entertained Monday noon, at a luncheon, for Mrs. Isora Carrer and daughter of Chicago.

Several of the neighbors of Mrs. George Parker, of Court street, perpetrated a surprise upon her, Saturday last, it being her birthday. The guests were Mrs. W. F. Palmer, Mrs. Charles McLean, Mrs. Platt Baker, Mrs. Frank Baack, Mrs. Muggleton, and Mrs. Carrer of Chicago.

Judge and Mrs. Charles Fifield entertained the Duplicate Whist club on Jackman street on Monday evening.

Miss Sawin, formerly of this city, and a guest of the past winter of Mrs. B. B. Eldredge, has announced her engagement to a gentleman of Troy, N.Y.

Mrs. James St. John has returned from Chicago. While there she attended a swell reception given by a friend on the north side in honor of Gadski, the opera singer.

Mrs. S. J. M. Putnam has been seriously ill the past week.

Dr. J. B. Whiting has sold old Dick, his horse, who has been his friend for 20 years. He will be missed from the streets.

H. H. Clough left this morning for his home at Elyria, Ohio.

CLAUDER WAS IN THE CITY TODAY

Famous Milwaukee Musician Played at Monroe Last Evening with His Band.

Bandmaster Joseph Clauder, of Milwaukee, with fifteen of his musicians, passed through the city this morning en route home from Monroe, where they played last night. The occasion of their visit to the Green county city was the celebration of the twenty-first anniversary of company H., first infantry, Wisconsin national guard, which was held there last night and which included a band concert and ball.

The affair was held at the armory of company H. and was a largely attended and successful function. In two weeks Professor Clauder will celebrate his twenty-fifth year as a bandmaster and in this time he has achieved a national reputation both as a leader and as a composer of band music. At present his musical organization numbers 65 men.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT
Janesville City Lodge, No. 90, I. O. O. F., at West Side Odd Fellows' hall; Janesville Lodge, No. 254, E. P. O. E., at K. P. hall.

Colony, No. 2, E. R. F. F., at Good Templars' hall.

Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters at Foresters' hall.

Machinists' union at Assembly hall.

FUTURE EVENTS
Beavers' monthly entertainment at Good Templars' hall tonight.

Lecture by Mrs. C. E. Hunt at First M. E. church tonight.

R. N. A. go to Beloit tonight.

Annual Y. M. C. A. meeting tonight.

Gun club shoot Thursday.

Boat and Shoe Workers' dance Friday evening.

Lecture on Niebelungen Lied at high school Friday afternoon.

Spring meeting of Rock County Teachers' association at Milton June-tion Saturday.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Talk to Lowell.
Wall paper at Lowell's.

Important linen sale Wednesday, J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

New patterns and street hats, Archie Reid & Co.

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Carpet business has never been so good with us as this season. Giving good values for the least money accounts for this. T. P. Burns.

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Pillsbury's Best Flour makes bread that is real food, and those who know what a good food means—clear heads and hard muscles will take no other brand.

Buy your window shades and curtain poles at Skelly's boot-store.

We are showing stylish tailor-made suits at prices that command the attention of the best judges. T. P. Burns.

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Mrs. Nelle Walker returned from Chicago where she has been doing up new ideas for the millinery department of Archie Reid & Co. She was accompanied by Miss Frohne, the head trimmer.

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Members of the Janesville Business association will meet in the city hall on Tuesday night at 7:30 to discuss matters of public interest to the city.

L. B. CARLE, President.

A. E. Bingham, Secretary.

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We intend to make this the best week of the year to buy wall paper. The most complete line of new styles of wall paper in the city at Skelly's book store. See us for low prices.

Taken to Waukesha: Turnkey Brown this morning took two of the Milke boys to the Industrial school at Waukesha.

Scarcity of Teachers: County Superintendent of Schools O. D. Antisul was in the city today. He says that there is a great scarcity of teachers throughout the county, and that he has three schools vacant now.

Phoenix Out Today: The high school Phoenix for April was issued today. It contains in full the prize winning poem and declamation delivered at the rhetorical contest.

Special Meeting Tonight: A special communication of Western Star Lodge, F. and A. M. will be held tonight. Although the lodge has two regular monthly meetings, special meetings are being held almost weekly.

Waging Sunday Crusade: Chief of Police Scheibel of Beloit handed up another saloon keeper for keeping open Sunday in the Line City. Scheibel knocked at the back door and was admitted.

Two Drunks Fined: Judge Fifield this morning sentenced Walter Conroy to the county jail for thirty days for drunkenness, but suspended the sentence on condition that Conroy leave Janesville and not return for a year. Lou Rock was before the court on a similar charge, and was fined \$3 and costs or eight days' confinement in jail. He went to jail.

Horneman-Fawcett

All unknown to their numerous friends Miss Clara Horneman and Edward Fawcett made their way to Milwaukee Sunday and were married very quietly at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Horneman, by Rev. Bester of the Baptist church. The newly married couple will begin housekeeping in a cosy flat in the Fredendall block.

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VACANCY ON THE SCHOOL BOARD

RESIGNATION OF S. C. BURNHAM PRESENTED LAST NIGHT.

W. S. JEFFRIS IS PRESIDENT

Burnham Elected Clerk, and Is Also Instructed To Take the School Census.

Owing to a decision of the city attorney that a member of the school board could not hold the position of clerk, S. C. Burnham, one of the recently elected members, last night tendered his resignation as a member and after its acceptance was duly elected clerk of the board at a salary of \$250. He was also instructed to take the school census which will net him \$140 more making his salary in all about five hundred dollars.

First Meeting

It was the first meeting of the school board last evening at the high school building and all of the members were present. Jas. Shearer was elected temporary chairman and S. C. Burnham temporary clerk. Upon motion, W. S. Jeffris was re-elected president of the board for the ensuing year.

Burpee's Opinion

A communication from the city attorney with reference to the board's electing a clerk from its number and giving it as his opinion that the board could not do this was read and placed on file. Commissioner Burnham presented his resignation to the board which was accepted and the common council was notified of vacancy as with them lies the appointing of a successor. The Board then proceeded to the election of a clerk, six ballots being cast east for Mr. S. C. Burnham who was declared elected.

School Census

It being necessary that the school Census taker be appointed at this meeting the clerk of the board was appointed to do the same as provided by law. The President was instructed to appoint a committee to recommend to the Board such changes as they saw fit with reference to the keeping of books and other records, of the Board and commissioners Helmstreet and Thayer were appointed to make the necessary improvements around the Douglas building. The president will announce the standing committees for the coming year at the next meeting.

LOCAL PERSONAL PICK-UPS

Charles Carr has been added to the force at the store of the Maynard Shoe Co.

Settling Cow Loss: Ed. Camlin, a well known fire insurance agent from Rockford, was in the city today greeting his host of local friends. Mr. Camlin was on his way to Evansville to settle the loss of two valuable cows recently destroyed by fire.

Only a Chimney: The entire fire department was called out yesterday to a burning chimney in the George home on Bluff street above the Milwaukee freight station, at about five o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Heavy Apparatus: Chief Klein yesterday learned that in its present running trim the aerial ladder tips the scales at 7,150 pounds.

Royal Neighbors' Meeting: Crystal Camp, No. 132, R. N. of A., will hold a special meeting in the dining room of West Side Odd Fellows hall Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of acting on application cards.

In Justice Court: In Justice Earle's court this morning an adjournment for one week was taken in the case of W. H. Carroll and Son against Frank Coppin, and that of the Lowell Hardware company against Fred Borgward was also adjourned for one week.

Go to Wausau: S. C. Burnham and W. B. Stoddard left this morning for Wausau, where they go to attend the state meeting of the Royal Arcanum. Mr. Burnham is grand chaplain of the order in this state and Mr. Stoddard goes as a delegate from the local lodge.

Granted a Divorce: Judge B. F. Dunwidde this morning granted a decree of divorce in the circuit court this morning to Verda A. Reid from Samuel D. Reid of the city of Beloit. The plaintiff was granted the custody of her children.

Increased Capitalization: Articles were filed with the register of deeds today increasing the capitalization of the Badger Coal company from \$10,000 to \$20,000. The papers were signed by Gordon Buchanan, president, and J. D. Brownell, secretary, of the company.

Boy Took Bicycles: Leslie Peters, an eight-year-old boy, was arrested by Officer Brown yesterday for taking two bicycles, one of which he abandoned. He said that he wished to be taken to the reform school, but as he was too young to be sent to Waukesha, he was released.

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Y. P. S. DANCED LAST EVENING

A Pleasant Evening at Assembly Hall for Young People's Society.

One of the most pleasant of the many dancing parties which have been given by the Y. P. S. of Trinity church during the past year was that which was held in Assembly hall last evening. The attendance was large and the hours of dancing were later than usual. Prof. Smith's musicians furnishing the rhythmic inspiration for the merry dancers.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Dr. G. H. Fox went to Edgerton this morning.

County Surveyor C. V. Kerch was morning passenger to Brodhead.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allardy, of Evansville, transacted business here to-day.

Dr. W. F. Brown and J. M. Farnsworth of Beloit were in the city for a short time this morning.

Miss Lydia Miller and Miss Frances Englemann attended a dance at Hanover, Saturday night.

Mrs. Lucy Leo has returned from Waukesha and is at the home of her mother, Mrs. Jno. Allen.

Mrs. Edgar Neuthorpe accompanied by her son, Lindsey have gone to Newcastle, California to join her husband, who has a fruit ranch there and where they intend to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Loomis who have made their home on North Bluff street, have moved to Milwaukee to reside, Mr. Loomis having gone last week while Mrs. Loomis departed for her new home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schottle returned home from Freeport last evening where they went to celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of the birth of Mr. Schottle's mother.

F. P. Starr is no better today,

...Forty Years Ago...

Janesville Daily Gazette, Tuesday,

April 28, 1863.—The rebels appear to have got the worst of it at Cape Girardeau, Mo., and are retreating with two columns of federal troops in pursuit. The First Wisconsin Cavalry suffered considerably as will be seen by the telegraphic dispatches. The regiment is now under the command of Col. La Grange.

The court room was well filled last evening to hear Mr. Burgess' speech on "Copperheads". He did ample justice to that species of reptiles, and made a good speech on general principles.

Dr. E. Rider, recently in partnership with James Sutherland, has opened a drug store near the Central bank and filled it with a new stock of goods. The doctor's experience as a physician will be of good service to him as a druggist, and his general business qualifications will aid him in the other departments of the store.

Miss Flora Rider; piano duet—Misses Eva Crawford, Edith Warner; duet harmonica and zither—Messrs. Van Pool; male quartette; address—Rev. Stevens of Edgerton, subject, "Wanted, a Man."

Open the door, let in the air,
The winds are sweet, the flowers are
fair,
Joy is abroad in the world for me,
Since taking Rocky Mountain Tea,
Smith's Pharmacy.

To Colorado in 1893

The passenger department of the Chicago & North-Western Railway have issued a very interesting folder, giving information as to reduced rates and sleeping car service, with a short description of the various points of interest in Colorado usually visited by tourists, these excursion rates applying on account of the Christian Endeavor meeting to be held at Denver, July 9th to 13th. Send 2-cent stamp for copy. W. B. Kniskern, Passenger Traffic Manager, Chicago.

A TIME OF DANGER

Thousands in Peru from Blood Diseases and Nerve Troubles Developed During the Winter Months

Paine's Celery Compound

THE GREAT SPRING BLOOD PURIFIER, NERVE BRACER AND HEALTH BUILDER

Paine's Celery Compound is the wonder of the age! Its marvelous virtues are discussed amongst interested medical men, and its cures are talked of at every fireside.

As a spring health giver, Paine's Celery Compound stands far ahead of all other known remedies; it has no worthy competitor in the vast field of medicine.

To a large extent the present popularity of Paine's Celery Compound is due to the fact that it has accomplished some of its most astonishing cures in the spring season—a time when men and women usually complain of ill health, loss of vitality, tired feelings—a time when people feel dull, listless, despondent and ambitionless.

Today there are thousands of business men, mechanics, farmers and dear wives and mothers, too, who, though able to walk around, are nevertheless, sadly out-of-health.

At this season Paine's Celery Compound is the great health restorer and strength giver for the out-of-health people—for those who are particularly near some organic disease. Paine's Celery Compound used at once, will quickly remove every trace of poison from the blood, brace up the weak nerves, build up the tissues, and tone the digestive organs.

If you, dear reader, feel that your health is not as robust and vigorous as it should be, let us honestly suggest the use of Paine's Celery Compound that has so wonderfully blessed your neighbors and friends. Be assured, "It makes sick people well."

CATARH GERM DISCOVERED.

Hyomel Destroys It and Kills The Disease—Money Back If It Fails

Catarrh means inflammation of the mucous membrane, it may be of the eye, ear, nose, throat, stomach or lungs, but it is generally understood as inflammation of the nasal and air passages. This is caused by a germ known as the catarhal micrococcus, and generates a poison which is absorbed by the general system. Super was served from 7:30 to 8:15, during which time a fine harp orchestra dispensed sweet music. Daubtly gowned young ladies acted most effently as waitresses under the direction of Mrs. W. G. Bagley, who planned and superintended the supper. The numbers on the program all responded to enthusiastic encores. E. E. Van Pool acted as leader for the evening. Rev. Steven's address won the hearty commendation of all present.

The hearty thanks of the class was voted to the kind friends in the Porch Shanty factory who so generously provided the orchestra as a surprise for the occasion.

Mr. J. F. Williams was appointed as leader for the next monthly supper to be held on the last Monday evening in May at 6:30 o'clock. The subject for that evening to be decided later.

The company, in separating, fitly expressed the christian joy and fellowship that abounds in their hearts by singing "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds Our Hearts in Christian Love."

The program given was as follows: Soprano and tenor duet—Mrs. W. W. Warner, Mr. E. E. Van Pool; male quartette—Messrs. Cleveland, Van Pool, Cary, Crawford; readings—

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that the following application for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a street railway, in, upon and across certain streets and avenues in the city of Janesville, together with the proposed ordinance granting such franchise, was filed by Janesville Traction Company, in the office of the City Clerk, in the city of Janesville, on the 25th day of April, A. D., 1903.

Dated April 25, 1903.

JANESVILLE TRACTION COMPANY.

By H. H. Clough, President.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Janesville:

The Janesville Traction Company, a corporation, organized under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Wisconsin, hereby applies to your honorable body for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a street railway, with all necessary switches, sidings, turnouts, wyes, poles, wires, curves and other fixtures, in, along and across certain streets in the City of Janesville, particularly enumerated in the annexed proposed ordinance, and it respectfully asks for the adoption of said ordinance.

Dated April 25, 1903.

JANESVILLE TRACTION COMPANY.

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An Ordinance granting to the Janesville Traction Company a corporate franchise under the laws of the State of Wisconsin, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and operate a street railway in certain streets and avenues in the city of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin, and prescribing the terms and conditions upon which said streets and avenues may be used and occupied by said franchise.

The Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Janesville do ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Janesville Traction Company, its successors or assigns, is granted for the full term of fifty (50) years from and after the passage of this ordinance the right and authority to construct, maintain and operate a street railway for the carriage of passengers and such freight as can be carried in cars which are also used for the transportation of passengers with single track, and all necessary switches, sidings, turnouts, wyes, poles, wires, curves and other fixtures, in, along and upon the following streets, to-wit:

Commencing at the intersection of Franklin and West Milwaukee streets, and there connecting with the tracks of the Beloit, Delavan Lake and Janesville Railway Company; thence easterly on said West Milwaukee street to the bridge crossing Rock River, and on and over said bridge or one bridge which may hereafter be erected at that point, and on East Milwaukee street to Main street; thence easterly on said Main street to First street; thence easterly only on and North First street to Bluff street; thence northerly on said Bluff street to Glen street; thence easterly on said Glen street to Hickory street; thence northerly on said Hickory street or on a private right of way to St. Mary's avenue; thence easterly on said St. Mary's avenue to Milton avenue; thence northerly along and Milton avenue to the intersection of West Bluff and West Bluff streets; and there connecting with the tracks of the Beloit, Delavan Lake and Janesville Railway Company; thence easterly on said West Bluff street to the easterly line of River street; thence easterly and across Rock river on a private right of way to First street; thence easterly on said Bluff street to Glen street; thence easterly on said Glen street to Hickory street; thence northerly on a private right of way to St. Mary's avenue; thence easterly on said St. Mary's avenue to Milton avenue; thence northerly on said Milton avenue to the intersection of East Milwaukee street and North First street to Bluff street; thence northerly on said Bluff street to Glen street; thence easterly on said Glen street to Hickory street; thence northerly on a private right of way to St. Mary's avenue; thence easterly on said St. Mary's avenue to Milton avenue; thence northerly on said Milton avenue to the intersection of First street to Bluff street; thence northerly on said Bluff street to Glen street; thence easterly on said Glen street to Hickory street; thence northerly on a private right of way to St. Mary's avenue; thence easterly on said St. Mary's avenue to Milton avenue; thence northerly on said Milton avenue to the intersection of First street to Bluff street; 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**LEE TELLS JURY
ABOUT BOODLING**

SEEKS TO CHANGE \$1,000 BILL

Senator Who Endeavors to Have Money Order Superintendent Accommodate Him Makes Statement That Small Notes Are Scarce in Capital.

St. Louis, Mo., April 28.—The April grand jury, as a result of its probing, has uncovered more legislative rascality. John A. Lee, who resigned as Lieutenant governor, was again before the inquisitors, and gave additional information as to the bootlegging in the general assembly in the sessions of 1901 and 1903. For the greater part of two hours Lee was on the rack.

Falsifies Records.

Probably the most interesting and important information was given in the testimony of R. B. Bridgman, journal clerk of the senate, who is said to have told the inquisitors that Senator James Orchard, who was chairman of the committee to which the alum bill was referred in 1901, kept the measure in his possession until after the general assembly had adjourned sine die, when he hunted up Bridgman and induced him to enter upon the journal a minute to the effect that the bill had been regularly reported to the general assembly before that body adjourned, thus falsifying the official records of the senate.

Senator Seeks Change.

Herbert H. Martin, superintendent of the money order department of the postoffice branch in the Union station, was another important witness. He told of a senator who stepped off a train from Jefferson City and asked him (Martin) to give change for a \$1,000 bill. When told that there was not that much change in the office this senator remarked it was impossible to get the bill broken at Jefferson City, as there were nothing but \$1,000 bills in circulation there.

The name of the senator has been withheld, but he is believed to be already under indictment.

Checks for \$1,000.

Hugh Koenig, bookkeeper of the American Exchange bank of this city, testified. He told of a number of checks for \$1,000 which passed through his hands, all payable to legislators.

George W. Wolfe, former probate judge of St. Louis county, had something to say about a road bill before the legislature affecting the county.

As a result of the investigation it is reported that a number of indictments will be returned affecting people of this city, legislators and others.

Resignation Is Accepted.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 28.—Gov. Dockery telephoned from St. Louis that he had accepted the resignation of Lieut. Gov. John A. Lee, which reached the office here in a letter bearing a special delivery stamp. Senator T. L. Rulley, president pro tempore of the senate, becomes acting Lieutenant governor.

AT HOME AND AT REST

Hiram Cator
One of the early residents of Rock County and a former sheriff, Hiram Cator, died at the home of his son in Chicago, at the age of eighty-five, yesterday. It is said that Chief of Police Hogan and Mr. Cator were the only democrats ever elected to the office of sheriff of Rock county. For years Mr. Cator lived in Leyden and conducted the hotel in that town. The relatives who survive him are one daughter, Mrs. John E. Davis, of Center, and five boys, John W., of Footville; H. W., Jr., of Janesville; George M., of Minocqua; Harry M., of Chicago; and Charles I. Cator, of Grand Rapids, Wis. The remains will be brought to Janesville Wednesday noon, and funeral services will be held at the Oak Hill chapel.

Ira D. Burdick
Ira D. Burdick, one of the early settlers in Janesville, passed away last evening at his home on South Main street, where he has resided with his daughter, Mrs. Carrie Anderson. Death followed a stroke of paralysis received a few days ago. To mourn his death Mr. Burdick leaves three children, William Burdick, of Minneapolis; Ira Burdick and Mrs. Carrie Anderson, of this city.

Wilbur Riedy
Wilbur, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bartholomew Riedy, of 177 Terrace street, had the misfortune to fall and break his collar bone while at play and Doctor Woods was called to reduce the fracture. The youthful patient is getting along nicely.

Charge Prince With Fraud.
London, April 28.—W. A. Brown, the self-styled "Prince Athrobald Stuart de Modena," who was arrested on a charge of making false assertions at the time of his marriage, has been remanded for trial at the June assizes.

Ames Is on Trial.
Minneapolis, Minn., April 28.—Ex-Mayor Alonso A. Ames is on trial for bribery and extortion in the district court. Judge Elliott appointed three veteran lawyers to pass on questions of bias among veniremen.

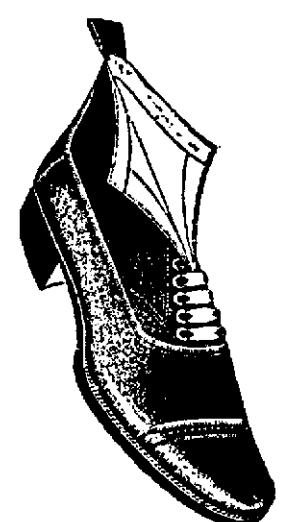
Recover Fireman's Body.
Columbus, O., April 28.—The body of Capt. Daniel S. Lewis of Engine Company No. 11 has been taken from the ruins of the Sunday morning's big High street fire. He had been crushed beneath a falling wall.

Sultan Fears Assassins.
Constantinople, April 28.—The Sultan is at present in great fear of being assassinated, and as a result one hundred Albanians who have had the entire of the palace have been dismissed.

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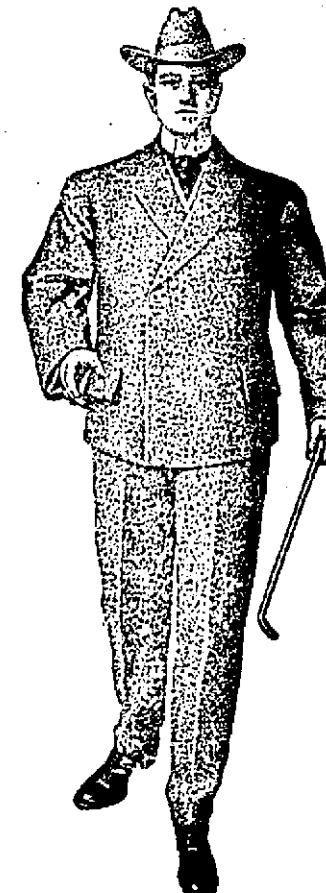
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